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**Assignment**

Whereas, we

INVENTOR  
AND CITY(1) Hendrik F. Hamann  
County of Westchesterof Mohegan Lake  
and State of New YorkINVENTOR  
AND CITY(2) Yves Martin  
County of Westchesterof Ossining  
and State of New YorkINVENTOR  
AND CITY(3) Hemantha K. Wickramasinghe  
County of Westchesterof Chappaqua  
and State of New York

TITLE

have invented certain improvements in  
**ASSEMBLY AND METHOD SUITABLE FOR THERMO-MAGNETIC WRITING/  
READING OF DATA**DATES THAT  
INVENTORS  
SIGNED THE  
DECLARATIONand executed, respectively, a United States patent application therefor on  
(1) *March 30*, 2000; (2) *March 31*, 2000, and  
(3) *March 30*, 2000.

Whereas, INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS MACHINES CORPORATION, a corporation of New York, having a place of business at Armonk, New York 10504, (hereinafter called IBM), desires to acquire the entire right, title and interest in the said application and invention, and to any United States and foreign patents to be obtained therefor;

Now therefore, for a valuable consideration, receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, we, the above named, hereby sell, assign, and transfer to IBM, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in the said application and invention therein disclosed for the United States and foreign countries, and all rights of priority resulting from the filing of said United States application, and we request the Commissioner of Patents to issue any Letters Patent granted upon the inventions set forth in said applications to IBM, its successors and assigns; and we hereby agree that IBM may apply for foreign Letters Patent on said invention and we will execute all papers necessary in connection with the United States and foreign applications when called upon to do so by IBM.

Signed and sealed

CITY AND  
DATE(1) at *Yorktown Heights, NY*  
on *3/30*, 2000,

*Hendrik Hamann* SIGNATURE  
Hendrik F. Hamann  
FIRST NAME MIDDLE INITIAL LAST NAME

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(2) at Yorktown Hts, NY  
on 3/31, 2000,

Yves Martin  
FIRST NAME MIDDLE INITIAL LAST NAME

SIGNATURE

CITY AND  
DATE

(3) at Yorktown Hts, NY  
on 3/30, 2000,

Hemantha K. Wickramasinghe  
FIRST NAME MIDDLE INITIAL LAST NAME

SIGNATURE

State of New York )ss.:  
County of Westchester )

(1)

On this 30<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2000, before me personally came HENDRIK  
HAMANN to me personally known, and known to me to be the person described in  
and who executed the foregoing assignment, and he acknowledged to me that he executed  
the same as his free act and deed.

Kathleen Cognatello  
Notary

KATHLEEN COGNATELLO  
NOTARY PUBLIC, State of New York  
No. 01CO8034770  
Qualified in Westchester County  
Commission Expires Dec. 20, 2001

State of New York )ss.:  
County of Westchester )

(2)

On this 31<sup>st</sup> day of March, 2000, before me personally came YVES MARTIN  
to me personally known, and known to me to be the person described in and who  
executed the foregoing assignment, and he acknowledged to me that he executed  
the same as his free act and deed.

Kathleen Cognatello  
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(3)

On this 31<sup>st</sup> day of March, 2000, before me personally came HEMANTHA K.  
WICKRAMASINGHE to me personally known, and known to me to be the person described  
in and who executed the foregoing assignment, and he acknowledged to me that he  
executed the same as his free act and deed.

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